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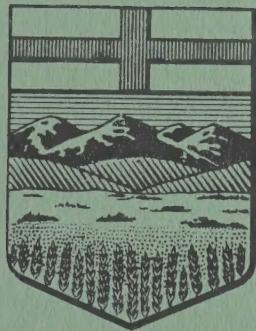
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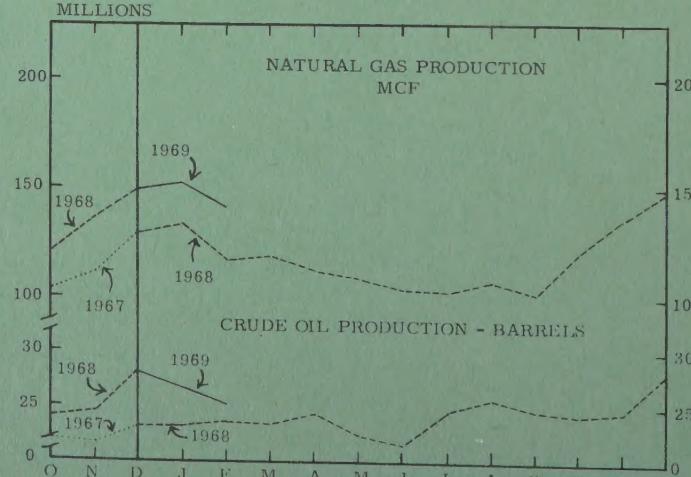
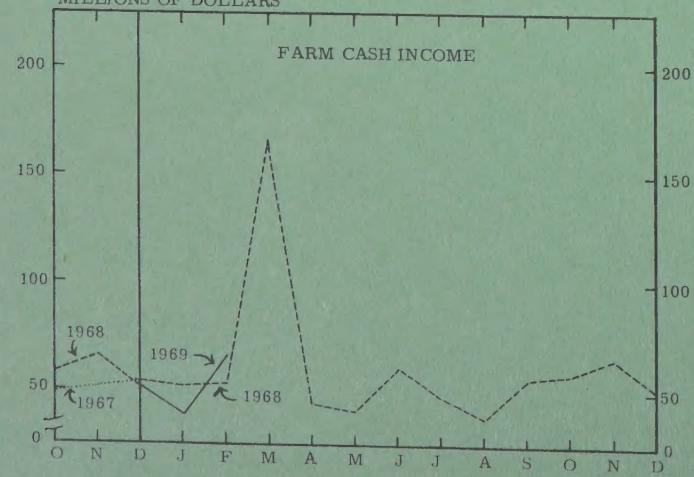
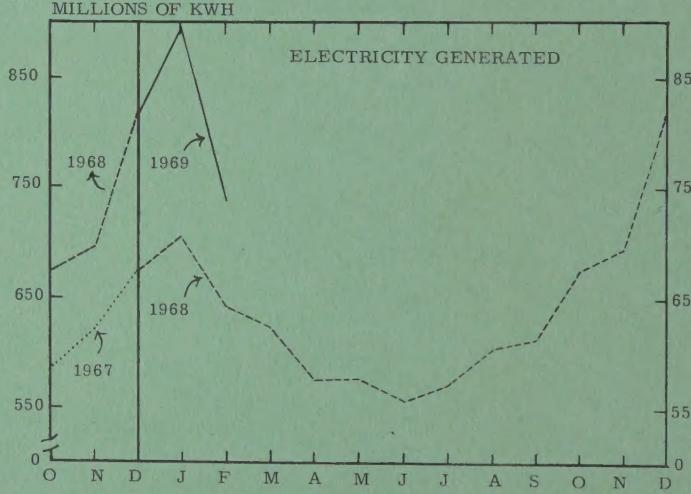
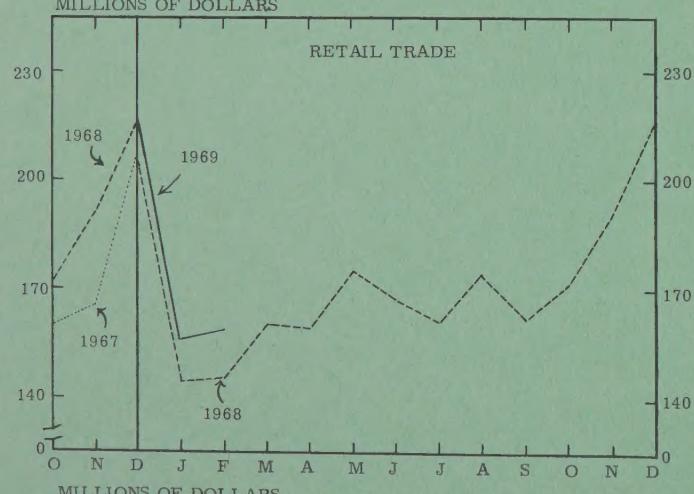
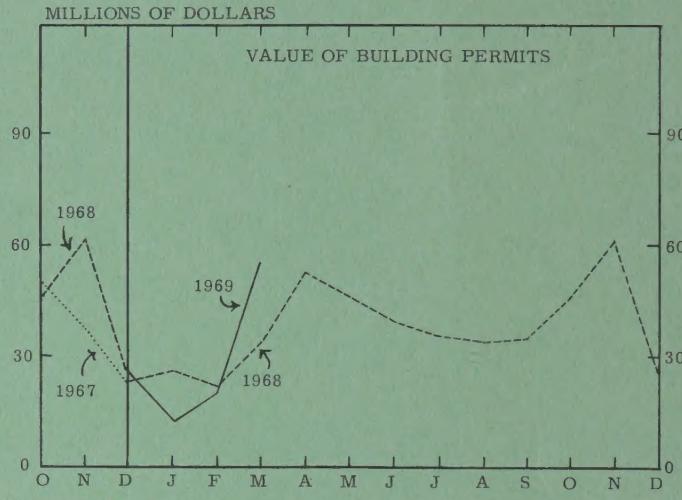
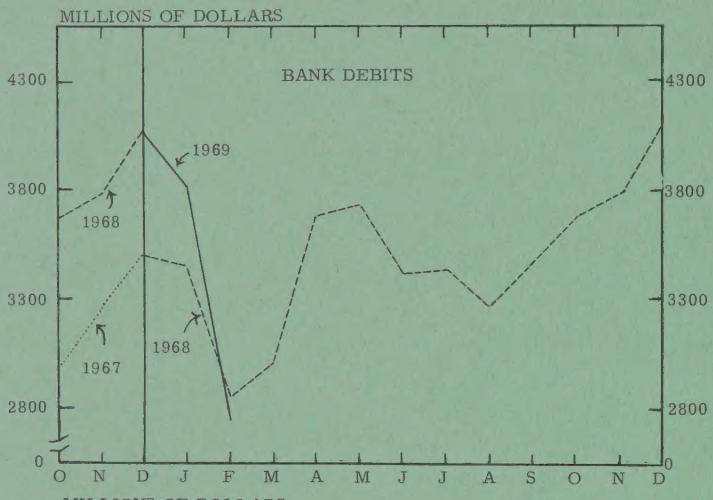
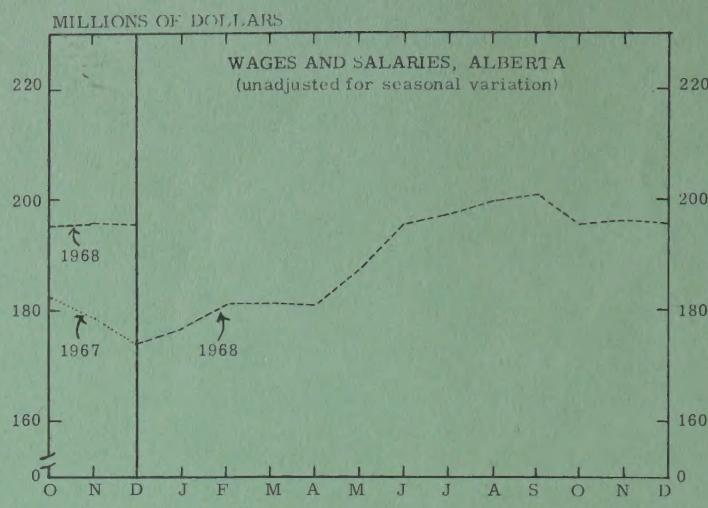
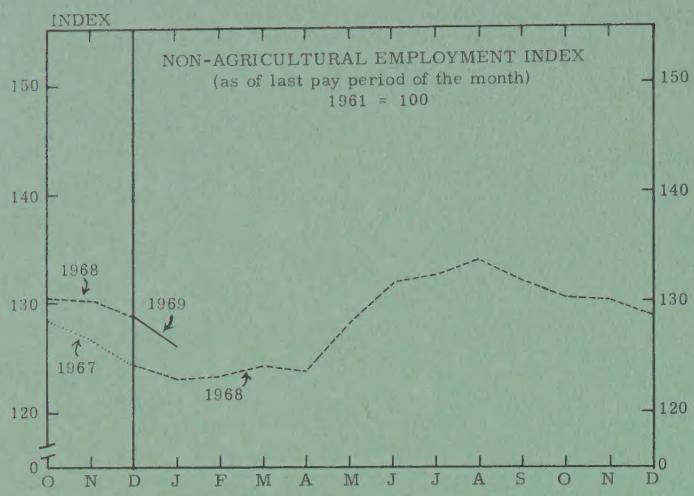
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ALBERTA FARMERS' CASH INCOME* FROM MAJOR SOURCES

LATEST MONTHS 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

Farmers' Cash Income From:	1968 (Jan. - Mar.)		1969 (Jan. - Mar.)		3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (March)	1969 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
	\$		\$					
Grain Sales	\$	169,204,000	69,724,000	-58.8		25,284,000	26,497,000	4.8
Livestock Marketings	\$	88,351,000	88,429,000	0.1		35,559,000	35,702,000	0.4
Poultry Products Sales	\$	2,556,000	3,299,000	29.1		980,000	1,319,000	34.6
Dairy Products Sales	1968 (Jan. - Feb.)		1969 (Jan. - Feb.)		2 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (February)	1969 (February)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
	\$	6,193,000	5,998,000	-3.2		3,064,000	2,895,000	-5.5

* Compiled in Statistics Branch, Economics Division, Alberta Department of Agriculture.
For detailed supporting data please correspond directly with the Statistics Branch officials.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES ALLIED TO AGRICULTURE

Compiled by Alberta Bureau of Statistics, Department of Industry and Tourism, Edmonton, Alberta.

LATEST MONTHS, 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

	1968 (Jan. - Mar.)		1969 (Jan. - Mar.)		3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (March)	1969 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Flour Mills (7 Firms)								
Production	Centals	1,656,411	1,375,302	-17.0		641,865	438,644	-31.7
All mill products shipped	Value \$	9,409,756	7,990,435	-15.1		3,385,114	2,577,113	-23.9
Creamery Butter (1)								
Production	lbs.	5,710,715	5,078,744	-11.1		2,139,043	1,837,025	-14.1
	Value \$	3,697,688	3,288,487	-11.1		1,385,030	1,189,474	-14.1
Cheddar Cheese (1)								
Production	lbs.	741,125	438,078	-40.9		283,803	113,595	-60.0
	Value \$	333,506	197,136	-40.9		127,711	51,118	-60.0
Packing Plants								
Gross Sales	\$	91,727,674	93,959,392	2.4		32,445,971	32,186,086	-0.8
Production	Meat lbs.	200,794,237	179,927,642	-10.4		72,244,208	61,158,360	-15.3
	Value \$	70,811,117	70,827,904	-		25,508,583	24,531,986	-3.8
Exports	Meat lbs.	124,789,976	111,593,353	-10.6		45,759,291	36,003,826	-21.3
	Value \$	47,339,754	46,273,750	-2.3		17,126,519	15,295,729	-10.7
Margarine Sales	lbs.	4,030,500	3,918,720	-2.8		1,417,239	1,317,761	-7.0
	Value \$	1,091,319	1,048,334	-3.9		381,705	365,559	-4.2

(1) Source: Dairy Branch, Alberta Department of Agriculture.

MINERALS AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES - ALBERTA

LATEST MONTHS, 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

			1 9 6 8	1 9 6 9	3 Months	1 9 6 8	1 9 6 9	1 Month
			(Jan. - Mar.)	(Jan. - Mar.)	Inc. or (-) Dec. %	(March)	(March)	Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Coal (1)	Production	Tons Value \$	976,431 3,360,736	1,263,395 3,924,477	29.4 16.8	308,885 1,049,543	410,993 1,228,805	33.1 17.1
Salt	Production	Tons	34,220	30,438	-11.1	11,380	10,869	-4.5
Cement	Production	Tons Value \$	131,548 1,880,224	94,780 1,354,667	-28.0 -28.0	62,325 890,819	43,958 628,248	-29.5 -29.5
Lime	Production	Tons Value \$	13,809 215,729	16,750 260,300	21.3 20.7	5,109 79,532	6,864 106,130	34.4 33.4
Petroleum Products Refined (2)					2 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1 9 6 8 (February)	1 9 6 9 (February)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Production	Barrels	4,754,685	6,203,471	30.5		2,321,233	3,068,762 ^(*)	32.2
Imports	Barrels	201,584	213,984	6.2		104,615	117,000	11.8
Exports	Barrels	1,282,464	1,110,399	-13.2		606,268	513,121	-15.4
Crude Oil (3)	Condensate, Pentanes Plus							
Production	Barrels	47,447,360	51,809,101	9.2		24,020,384	25,121,798	4.6
Value to Producer	\$	119,567,963	131,699,334	10.1		60,626,652	64,073,282	5.7
Sales and Exports	Barrels	46,995,135	51,855,936	10.3		23,480,250	25,808,437	9.9
Natural Gas (3)								
Production	M. C. F.	256,043,999	292,993,699	14.4		123,204,546	140,899,390	14.4
Sales and Exports	M. C. F.	204,001,784	232,331,783	13.9		97,746,573	112,671,073	15.3
Value of Sales	\$	30,746,422	35,587,439	15.7		14,670,873	17,051,276	16.2
Propane (3)								
Production (Gas Plants)Bbls.		2,527,168	2,689,755	6.4		1,228,445	1,249,929	1.7
Imports	Barrels	8,390	5,929	-29.3		5,427	3,180	-41.4
Sales	Barrels	2,916,374	3,845,958	31.9		1,162,883	1,482,363	27.5
Value \$		4,494,589	3,557,923	-20.8		2,039,240	1,615,002	20.8
Butane (3)								
Production (Gas Plants)Bbls.		1,743,842	1,705,569	-2.2		802,252	771,590	-3.8
Imports	Barrels	-	8,720	-		-	2,964	-
Sales	Barrels	1,841,974	1,667,098	-9.5		802,215	765,716	-4.6
Value \$		2,575,476	2,072,984	-19.5		1,228,223	958,826	-21.9
Sulphur (3)								
Production	Long Tons	433,305	561,902	29.7		228,148	269,909	18.3
Sales	Long Tons	364,416	407,995	12.0		212,845	196,408	-7.7
	Value \$	13,050,074	13,020,501	-0.2		7,972,499	5,883,421	-26.2

(1) Source: Mines Division, Department of Mines and Minerals, Alberta.

(2) Source: Fuel Oil Tax Branch, Department of Provincial Secretary, Alberta.

(3) Source: Oil and Gas Conservation Board.

(*) Composed of 1,556,187 barrels gasoline; 855,237 barrels diesel fuel; 184,785 barrels kerosene; 472,553 barrels other fuel and miscellaneous products.

GENERAL STATISTICS - ALBERTA LATEST MONTHS AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN PREVIOUS YEARS

		1967 (Jan. - Dec.)	1968 (Jan. - Dec.)	12 Months Inc. or (-) Dec.	1967 (December)	1968 (December)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec.
Wages and Salaries (Labour Income unadjusted for seasonal variation) (1)				%			%
		2,081,100,000	2,295,200,000	10.3	174,400,000	196,500,000	12.7
Life Insurance Sales (Ordinary) (2)	\$	608,457,000	641,193,000	5.4	49,599,000	61,844,000	24.7
		1968 (Jan. - Feb.)	1969 (Jan. - Feb.)	2 Months Inc. or (-) Dec.	1968 (February)	1969 (February)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec.
Bank Debits (3)				%			%
Calgary	Value \$	3,379,305,000	3,467,757,000	2.6	1,594,378,000	1,310,695,000	-17.8
Edmonton	Value \$	2,714,970,000	2,864,322,000	5.5	1,155,582,000	1,324,247,000	14.6
Lethbridge	Value \$	153,977,000	174,544,000	13.4	74,825,000	84,745,000	13.3
Medicine Hat	Value \$	60,850,000	67,777,000	11.4	28,057,000	30,691,000	9.4
TOTAL	Value \$	6,309,102,000	6,574,400,000	4.2	2,852,842,000	2,750,378,000	-3.6
Pulpwood Production (4)	Cunits	28,149	45,337	61.1	18,654	26,322	41.1
Electricity - Net Generated (5)	K. W. Hrs.	1,349,799,000	1,632,817,000	21.0	642,061,000	739,515,000	15.2
Manufacturing Shipments (6)	Value \$	230,162,000	244,118,000*	6.1	116,630,000	125,269,000	7.4
		1968 (Jan. - Mar.)	1969 (Jan. - Mar.)	3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec.	1968 (March)	1969 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec.
New Motor Vehicles (7)	No.	18,095*	19,296	6.6	7,171	7,902	10.2
	Value \$	66,090,000*	72,747,000	10.1	26,449,000	29,782,000	12.6
Forestry (Crown Lands) Production - Lumber	Ft. B. M.	164,409,000	187,000,000	13.7	49,386,000	75,000,000	51.9
Total Value of Lumber and Other Forestry Products	Value \$	9,454,000	10,753,000	13.7	2,840,000	4,313,000	51.9
		11,023,000	12,449,000	12.9	3,507,000	5,016,000	43.0
		1968 (Jan. - April)	1969 (Jan. - April)	4 Months Inc. or (-) Dec.	1968 (April)	1969 (April)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec.
Fur (Wild Life) - Pelts	No.	520,957	352,997	-32.2	61,672	39,628	-35.7
	Value \$	630,394	719,492	14.1	114,854	112,315	-2.2
Visitors to National Parks							
Banff	No.	422,341	422,222	-	145,010	157,255	8.4
Elk Island	No.	23,859	25,686	7.7	8,561	11,914	39.2
Jasper	No.	55,775	90,733	62.7	18,599	44,480	139.2
Waterton Lakes	No.	3,459	7,707	122.8	3,459	7,707	122.8
TOTAL	No.	505,434	546,348	8.1	175,629	221,356	26.0

GENERAL CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND COMPONENT ITEMS (8)
FOR CALGARY - EDMONTON (1961 = 100)

	General C. P. I.	Food	Housing	Clothing	Transportation	Health: Personal Care	Recreation: Reading	Tobacco: Alcohol
April 1967	110.3	114.1	105.8	115.8	106.1	119.0	110.9	109.1
April 1968	115.6	118.2	110.2	120.9	112.0	127.6	119.7	114.2
March 1969	119.6	123.0	114.1	123.8	117.4	131.8	124.6	114.3
April 1969	120.3	124.5	114.3	124.0	117.1	135.9	124.7	114.3

(1) Source: Estimates of Labour Income, September, 1968, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
 (2) Source: Life Insurance Agency Management Association, Hartford, Conn.
 (3) Source: Cheques Cashed in Clearing Centres, Vol. 46, No. 2, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
 (4) Source: Pulpwood and Wood Residue Statistics, Vol. 12, No. 2, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
 (5) Source: Electric Power Statistics, Vol. 37, No. 2, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
 (6) Source: Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
 (7) Source: New Motor Vehicle Sales, Vol. 41, No. 3, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
 (8) Source: Prices and Price Indexes, April, 1969, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE - TRENDS - ALBERTA

LATEST MONTHS, 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

WHOLESALE TRADE (1) -	1 9 6 8 (Jan. - Mar.)	1 9 6 9 (Jan. - Mar.)	3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1 9 6 8 (March)	1 9 6 9 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
<u>BY TYPES:</u>						
Amusement and Sporting Goods	1,093,000	1,268,000	16.0	390,000	359,000	- 7.9
Auto Supplies and Equipment	10,497,000	11,807,000	12.5	2,913,000	3,031,000	4.1
Chemicals, Drugs and Allied Products	10,845,000	11,544,000	6.4	3,564,000	3,765,000	5.6
Dry Goods and Apparel	3,428,000	3,308,000	- 3.5	1,328,000	1,184,000	- 10.8
Electric Goods (Hhld. and Industrial)	26,489,000	29,278,000	10.5	7,335,000	8,749,000	19.3
Farm Products (Raw Materials)	471,000	495,000	5.1	168,000	194,000	15.5
Farm Supplies	550,000	452,000	-17.8	202,000	191,000	- 5.4
Tobacco	9,926,000	11,414,000	15.0	3,401,000	4,176,000	22.8
Furniture and House Furnishings	6,661,000	7,143,000	7.2	2,062,000	2,070,000	0.4
Groceries and Meats	78,762,000	85,404,000	8.4	28,651,000	31,460,000	9.8
Hardware	8,554,000	8,252,000	- 3.5	3,229,000	2,939,000	- 9.0
Building Materials (Excluding Lumber)	6,505,000	6,896,000	6.0	2,124,000	2,432,000	14.5
Lumber and Millwork	9,507,000	10,953,000	15.2	3,661,000	3,703,000	1.1
Machinery, Equipment and Supplies, (Commercial and Construction)	5,296,000	5,978,000	12.9	1,663,000	2,233,000	34.3
Machinery and Equipment (Farm)	17,350,000	15,885,000	- 8.4	6,488,000	7,130,000	9.9
Machinery, Equipment and Supplies, (Industrial)	10,808,000	11,660,000	7.9	3,427,000	4,111,000	20.0
Professional Service, Transportation						
Equipment and Supplies	6,077,000	6,379,000	5.0	2,140,000	2,199,000	2.8
Metals and Metal Work	6,235,000	7,149,000	14.7	1,827,000	2,070,000	13.3
Paper and Paper Products	4,622,000	4,829,000	4.5	1,613,000	1,751,000	8.6
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	43,491,000	52,415,000	20.5	14,328,000	17,820,000	24.4
Plumbing and Heating Equipment & Supplies	10,897,000	11,305,000	3.7	3,762,000	4,054,000	7.8
Miscellaneous	3,622,000	3,821,000	5.5	1,195,000	1,297,000	8.5
TOTAL	281,685,000*	307,635,000	9.2	95,469,000*	106,917,000*	12.0
<u>BY LOCATIONS:</u>						
Calgary	92,864,000	101,271,000	9.1	32,341,000	35,097,000	8.5
Edmonton	116,050,000	123,651,000	6.5	38,827,000	42,645,000	9.8
Lethbridge	6,693,000	6,983,000	4.3	2,305,000	2,509,000	8.9
Medicine Hat	2,428,000	2,413,000	- 0.6	847,000	852,000	0.6
Red Deer	3,967,000	4,311,000	8.7	1,250,000	1,270,000	1.6
Smaller Centres	7,234,000	7,777,000	7.5	2,544,000	2,846,000	11.9
No Area Breakdown	52,449,000	61,229,000	16.7	17,355,000	21,698,000	25.0
TOTAL	281,685,000	307,635,000	9.2	95,469,000	106,917,000	12.0
 RETAIL TRADE (2) -						
1 9 6 8 (Jan. - Feb.)	1 9 6 9 (Jan. - Feb.)	2 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1 9 6 8 (February)	1 9 6 9 (February)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %	
Total Retail Trade:						
Grocery and Combination Stores	288,099,000*	314,244,000	9.1	144,414,000	158,505,000	9.8
All Other Food Stores	53,762,000	58,710,000	9.2	26,877,000	27,696,000	3.0
Department Stores	4,963,000	5,685,000	14.6	2,837,000	3,157,000	11.3
General Merchandise Stores	31,685,000	36,139,000	14.1	15,850,000	17,761,000	12.1
General Stores	7,984,000	8,546,000	7.0	4,235,000	4,468,000	5.5
Variety Stores	14,505,000	15,991,000	10.2	7,398,000	8,134,000	9.9
Motor Vehicle Dealers	2,659,000	2,967,000	11.6	1,102,000	1,149,000	4.3
Service Stations and Garages	61,678,000	65,070,000	5.5	30,585,000	33,899,000	10.8
Men's Clothing Stores	28,971,000	32,941,000	13.7	13,366,000	14,924,000	11.7
Women's Clothing Stores	3,928,000	4,060,000	3.4	1,689,000	1,917,000	13.5
Family Clothing Stores	3,677,000	4,004,000	8.9	1,693,000	1,943,000	14.8
Shoe Stores	2,660,000	2,519,000	- 5.3	1,283,000	1,178,000	- 8.2
Hardware Stores	2,091,000	2,434,000	16.4	1,011,000	1,247,000	23.3
Furniture, T.V., Radio and Appliance Stores	4,760,000	4,655,000	- 2.2	2,490,000	2,463,000	- 1.1
Fuel Dealers	8,458,000	8,361,000	- 1.1	3,937,000	4,050,000	2.9
Drug Stores	1,733,000	2,018,000	16.4	1,005,000	1,160,000	15.4
Jewellery Stores	10,492,000	10,708,000	2.1	5,505,000	5,219,000	- 5.2
All Other Stores	2,455,000	2,448,000	- 0.3	1,182,000	1,162,000	- 1.7
	41,637,000	46,988,000	12.9	22,369,000	26,978,000	20.6

(1) The figures may be considered as more indicative of trends of business in the various lines and for the various locations than of total volume of wholesale business.

(2) Source: Retail Trade, Vol. 41, No. 1, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

(3) Any slight differences between the totals and their components are due to the rounding of the figures.

NUMBER AND VALUE OF RESIDENTIAL AND NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING PERMITS - ALBERTA - MARCH 1968 AND 1969

	No. of Permits Issued (March)		Residential	Commer- cial	Institutional and Government	Total Value (March)		Cumulative (Jan. - Mar.)	
	1968	1969				'000	'000	'000	'000
CENSUS DIVISION 1	45	25	62	230	33	-	1,134	325	1,425
Medicine Hat	42	23	47	-	33	-	1,109	80	1,382
CENSUS DIVISION 2	150	103	910	8	470	-	1,618	1,388	3,139
Lethbridge	88	64	717	8	453	-	713	1,178	2,065
CENSUS DIVISION 3	14	21	82	4	59	5	80	149	276
CENSUS DIVISION 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
CENSUS DIVISION 5	10	8	2	-	210	-	57	212	146
Drumheller	4	5	1	-	201	-	2	202	15
CENSUS DIVISION 6	678	568	10,733	105	16,082	2,145	19,176	29,065	40,943
Calgary	635	540	10,468	99	16,065	2,138	18,910	28,770	40,356
CENSUS DIVISION 7	15	12	128	-	10	-	277	137	542
CENSUS DIVISION 8	61	29	177	-	178	454	1,308	810	1,947
Red Deer	38	15	114	-	104	424	1,193	642	1,634
CENSUS DIVISION 9	7	16	137	-	112	3	110	252	124
CENSUS DIVISION 10	35	19	116	-	33	3	436	151	965
Camrose	8	10	83	-	-	-	220	83	442
Lloydminster	13	4	2	-	31	3	83	35	151
CENSUS DIVISION 11	702	649	11,521	398	5,056	4,024	8,973	20,999	30,256
Edmonton	636	487	9,159	375	5,009	3,040	8,190	17,582	28,123
Wetaskiwin	2	5	71	-	4	35	2	110	33
CENSUS DIVISION 12	29	21	134	-	90	245	188	469	462
CENSUS DIVISION 13	25	9	73	-	18	-	116	91	182
CENSUS DIVISION 14	11	10	173	-	10	-	62	183	88
CENSUS DIVISION 15	33	15	208	-	308	28	179	544	1,490
Grande Prairie	9	4	5	-	-	-	31	5	716
Total March	1,815	1,505	24,456	745	22,667	6,906	33,713	54,775	
January - March 1969		3,304	41,122	1,555	31,325	13,606		87,609	
January - March 1968		3,996	40,098	1,522	19,931	20,433	81,984		87,609
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AVERAGE HOURS AND EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE EARNERS IN SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES, AT DATES INDICATED, ALBERTA

	Average Hours Last Pay Period of		Average Hourly Earnings Last Pay Period of		Average Weekly Wages Last Pay Period of		Wage Earners Reported
	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	January 1969 No.
	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$	
ALBERTA:							
Mining, Including Milling	42.3	42.5	3.32	3.60	140.43	153.11	7,847
Service Incidental to Mining	43.5	43.4	3.44	3.73	149.85	161.61	5,165
Manufacturing	39.2	38.4	2.54	2.73	99.39	104.87	27,544
Durable Goods	39.5	38.1	2.51	2.71	99.14	103.36	13,854
Non-durable Goods	38.8	38.6	2.56	2.75	99.62	106.40	13,690
Foods and Beverages	38.4	37.8	2.57	2.77	98.90	104.89	7,159
Construction	40.5	36.9	3.08	3.47	124.68	127.86	14,960
Building	35.5	35.0	3.12	3.50	110.85	122.35	10,108
Engineering	50.1	40.8	3.01	3.42	150.90	139.33	4,852
Other Industries							
Hotels and Restaurants	32.4	31.9	1.61	1.70	52.21	54.29	9,437
EDMONTON:							
Manufacturing	39.6	38.8	2.49	2.74	98.72	106.36	11,550
Construction	38.5	37.6	3.25	3.62	124.97	136.30	6,142
CALGARY:							
Manufacturing	38.5	38.1	2.66	2.83	102.22	108.07	7,888
Construction	35.4	33.2	3.22	3.43	113.95	113.94	4,565

Source: Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings, January, 1969, Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

QUARTERLY ESTIMATES OF POPULATION FOR ALBERTA FROM JUNE 1, 1966 to JANUARY 1, 1969
(thousands)

	Estimates							
	June 1, 1966	June 1, 1967	June 1, 1968	January 1, 1967	January 1, 1968	April 1, 1968	July 1, 1968	October 1, 1968
1,463	1,490	1,526	1,476	1,511	1,520	1,529	1,538	1,547

Source: Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES, AT DATES INDICATED, BY INDUSTRIES

	Index Number (1961 = 100)		Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		Employees Reported	
	Last Pay Period of		Last Pay Period of		Last Pay Period of	
	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	Jan. 1969	No.
ALBERTA:						
Mining	123.1	133.0	158.84	169.92	20,312	
Petroleum and Gas Wells	133.4	138.9	169.45	180.95	11,776	
Services Incidental to Mining	116.8	137.0	149.80	161.40	7,251	
Manufacturing	119.0	121.1	108.37	115.45	42,369	
Foods and Beverages	100.0	98.4	104.37	111.06	11,413	
Meat Processing	108.8	103.8	120.94	126.84	4,217	
Wood Products	149.6	135.2	90.08	89.59	3,940	
Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries	112.6	118.7	108.06	114.57	2,139	
Metal Fabricating Industries	127.8	130.6	111.97	126.30	3,998	
Transportation Equipment	118.7	144.9	106.07	108.24	2,842	
Non-metallic Mineral Products	94.4	97.1	112.56	118.99	2,861	
Chemicals and Chemical Products	123.4	127.1	132.77	148.57	2,495	
Construction	117.9	109.5	128.71	136.29	19,001	
Building	125.9	121.0	116.03	131.54	12,592	
Engineering	105.7	92.3	151.76	145.61	6,409	
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	111.7	111.0	116.13	126.43	42,253	
Transportation	100.6	100.4	119.02	129.81	23,095	
Communication	139.1	137.2	109.78	119.24	11,587	
Electric Power, Gas and Water	113.5	117.0	128.27	138.73	5,327	
Trade	123.6	128.6	83.03	92.80	50,799	
Wholesale	119.5	124.0	102.11	117.60	19,649	
Retail	126.5	131.7	70.75	77.16	31,150	
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	134.6	139.9	94.65	103.41	14,801	
Service	162.7	172.2	73.54	75.95	27,870	
Personal Services	148.9	153.2	57.38	60.69	14,369	
Hotels and Restaurants	153.2	158.9	56.09	59.81	11,949	
Industrial Composite	123.4	126.0	105.26	113.35	218,643	
EDMONTON:						
Manufacturing	116.4	117.8	108.36	116.86	17,652	
Durable Goods	125.9	128.9	113.25	121.65	6,955	
Non-durable Goods	111.1	111.6	105.28	113.75	10,697	
Construction	115.6	121.1	128.76	141.09	7,685	
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	138.3	140.9	115.84	127.49	12,449	
Trade	121.9	128.6	81.18	90.89	22,118	
Wholesale	121.9	129.6	102.13	117.26	8,084	
Retail	121.9	128.1	69.42	75.70	14,034	
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	138.6	146.2	97.34	106.95	4,889	
Service	173.4	183.5	67.84	73.38	11,332	
Industrial Composite	128.6	134.3	98.19	107.62	77,948	
CALGARY:						
Manufacturing	118.7	117.7	112.67	118.58	13,166	
Durable Goods	136.8	142.8	111.23	115.21	6,172	
Non-Durable Goods	107.3	101.9	113.83	121.57	6,994	
Construction	139.8	136.2	122.03	130.32	5,963	
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	115.6	112.4	111.62	120.65	9,422	
Trade	129.8	131.0	85.56	96.18	18,306	
Wholesale	120.3	123.6	108.12	123.90	7,208	
Retail	136.7	136.2	71.13	78.17	11,098	
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	144.5	149.2	94.11	103.36	5,204	
Service	161.8	181.8	68.45	71.81	11,227	
Industrial Composite	132.1	134.8	102.63	110.24	68,896	

Source: Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, January, 1969. Prepared in the Employment Section of the Labour and Prices Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

LABOUR FORCE AND RELATED DATA
(in thousands)

	Population			Labour Force			Employed	Unemployed	Not in Labour Force	Participation Rate	Unemployment Rate
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women					
March, 1967	970	493	477	571	384	187	556	15	399	58.9%	2.6%
March, 1968	1,003	509	494	579	395	184	555	24	424	57.7%	4.1%
February, 1969	1,033	524	509	612	409	203	591	21	421	59.2%	3.4%
March, 1969	1,035	525	510	603	408	195	581	22	432	58.3%	3.6%

Source: Special Surveys Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

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